

**W.B. Moses & Sons**  
F. St., cor. 11th. | Storage, 23d and M.  
Everything we sell bears the stamp of perfect workmanship and finish.

**Clearing Out Rugs At Our January Clearance Sale.**

Ever see such prices—such values as that January Carpet Clearance Sale of ours has brought forth? Ever before we selling at a price known to be the wholesale price charged by the makers on hundred-fold purchases?

We've established a precedent here, and the great clearing we have effected so far well merits the phenomenal cut we've made.

**RUGS.**

2 hals of Gray Goat Rugs, 28 by 64 in. Regular price, \$2.50. Now, \$1.50	1 hals of White Goat Rugs, 28 by 64 in. Wore \$2.50. Now, \$1.50
1 hals China Sheep Rugs, Wore \$3. Now, \$1.50	1 hals Sheep Mats, No. 3, white, yellow, green, orange, blue, cream and olive. Wore \$2.50. Now, \$1.85
1 hals China Sheep Rugs, Wore \$4. Now, \$2.50	1 hals Combination Fur Rugs, 12 by 16 in. Wore \$3.50. Now, \$3.50
1 hals Combination Fur Rugs, 28 by 64 in. Wore \$5.50. Now, \$4.50	

But don't forget the carpets. Carpets made and laid at the reduced prices.

\$3.00 Wilton Carpets, 12 by 16	\$1.65
\$1.00 Bigelow Axminster, 12 by 16	\$1.50
\$1.00 Wilton Velvets, 12 by 16	\$1.15
\$1.25 Velvet Carpets, 12 by 16	\$1.00
\$1.15 Moquette Carpets, 12 by 16	\$1.00
\$1.35 Iddy Brussels, 12 by 16	\$1.10
\$1.00 Tapestry Brussels, 12 by 16	75c
85c Tapestry Brussels, 12 by 16	65c
75c Tapestry Brussels, 12 by 16	60c
70c Tapestry Brussels, 12 by 16	55c

**Upholsteries.**

We're already showing spring line of Linens, Damasks, Cotton Damasks, Cretonnes, for slip covers for parlor, library and dining room furnishings. A retail and representative will call with samples and estimate on any work you may want done.

W. B. MOSES & SONS.

**Don't Buy A WHEEL**

—before seeing us! We are going to have a wheel which will set riders with delight. Only have a "sample" at present. Plenty of representative will call with samples and estimate on any work you may want done.

**\$50 Cash**

Or \$55 on easy terms.

Come look at the improvements. Bring a bicycle "expert" with you.

Men's and boys' choice of 4 colors, 3 saddles, 8 handle bars, of wood and steel, rubber tires, large sprocket, one-piece nickel fork crown and is a jewel.

Orders will be delivered in rotation.

**Jacobs Bros.,**  
1229 Pa. ave.

**WE FEEL AS YOU DO ABOUT MISTAKES.**

... if we had a prescription filled and the druggist made a mistake in it we take no notice of it. ... if we had a suit made and the tailor made a slight mistake we'd feel that he might make it right. ... if we had a car and the mechanic made a mistake we'd know that he'd make it right. ... if we had a house and the carpenter made a mistake we'd know that he'd make it right. ... if we had a business and the clerk made a mistake we'd know that he'd make it right. ... if we had a family and the mother made a mistake we'd know that she'd make it right. ... if we had a country and the king made a mistake we'd know that he'd make it right. ... if we had a world and God made a mistake we'd know that he'd make it right.

**Arlington Drug Store,**  
Cor. Vt. Ave. & H St. Alex. S. Daggett, Jr. 1222-204

**Belittled Prices on Furs.**

Going to clear out this season's furs at greatly reduced prices. ... 1 Seal Skin Cape, size 34, 35 inches deep, full sweep. Wore \$225. Now, \$125. ... 1 Mink Cape, size 34, 35 inches deep, full sweep. Wore \$150. Now, \$95. ... 1 Electric Seal Jacket, size 34, 35 inches deep. Wore \$150. Now, \$50.

**B. H. Stinemetz & Son,**  
Furriers and Hatters, 1227 Pa. ave. de-131-20

**Painless Extracting, 50c.**

Curious visitors are welcome. We gladly explain our methods of associating professional skill with correct business management. The cooperative principle applied to dentistry surprises most people. Investigate. It may surprise you and save you pain and money.

Cosmetics, Bridget, etc., at corresponding prices. Estimates gladly given.

Sole owners of 2030 for painless operations without sleep or danger.

**U.S. Dental Ass'n,**  
Cor. 7th and D Sts. N.W.  
JAN 21 OPEN SUNDAYS 10 TO 12.

**Wade & Butcher Razors, Torrey Razor Strops.**

LOWEST PRICES IN CITY.

\$2.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Flat Straps, 10c
\$1.50 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	25c Shaving Brush, 10c
\$1.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Imported Shaving Soap, 10c
\$1.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Complete Hair Dressing Kit, 10c
\$1.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Stone Block, all sizes, 10c
\$1.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Stone Block, all sizes, 10c
\$1.00 W. & B. Razor, hollow ground, 75c	50c Stone Block, all sizes, 10c

GOOD FOR WELL PEOPLE AND SICK ONE—Liebig Company Extract of Beef. 10c per 1/2 lb. jar.

**"Opening"**  
Annual Midwinter Opening.  
**The Palais Royal.**

Occurring with the completion of the New Year's stocks. A time when winter, spring and summer goods make their initial bow—the most interesting and instructive "opening" of the year.

**Opening Souvenirs.**

Practical souvenirs—the presentation to you of the major portion of our legitimate profits. The 1897 list will be changed daily. Note that the following are for Monday only, with the exception of the Cotton Underwear, which will be offered all the week at less than the materials would cost you.

**Underwear.**

350 dozen Cotton and Cambric Garments arrived this morning, completing the 1897 collection. While the souvenir prices are the same as quoted for the late "Opening," the garments offered are in most instances much superior.

**67c for the \$1 garments.**

**Gowns.** Twelve new styles, among which are Cambric and Muslin Gowns in latest Paris "Empire" and "Hibiscus" effects, with square and round yokes, the correct full sleeves, lace and embroidery trimmings that are as reliable as beautiful. 67c instead of \$1.

**Skirts.** Six new styles, including the "Empire" style, with dainty measuring 128 inches and note, "its a cambric blouse with two-inch edge of lace or embroidery. Another style has yoke band and six-inch embroidery dounce. 67c.

**Corset Covers.** Eight new styles, all "glove fitting." Made of best French cambric, with square, round and V-neck necks. Note the dainty ribbon, lace and embroidery trimmings. 67c instead of \$1.

**Drawers.** Eight new styles, in cambric and muslin. See the underwear style, with six-inch embroidery ruffle. And those with cambric dounce, edge and insertion of lace or embroidery. 67c instead of \$1.

**Chemises.** Five new styles, of lawn, cambric and muslin. Regular and extra sizes. Square, round and V-necks, trimmed back and front with lace, ribbon and embroidery. 67c instead of \$1.

**47c for the 68c garments.**

**Gowns.** Five new styles. The most attractive are those with tucked or double yoke back and turn-over collar of lace or embroidery; four-inch cambric ruffle around collar and sleeves. Some will prefer the Gown with yoke of four rows of embroidery insertion with tucks between; cambric ruffle at neck and sleeves. 47c instead of 68c.

**Skirts.** Ten new styles, notably the Cambric skirt, with French yoke band, and the skirt with lace and embroidery dounce. Another attractive style with lace and embroidery dounce. 47c instead of 68c.

**Corset Covers.** Six new styles, of French cambric, round square and V-neck necks. Trimmed back and front with 2-inch insertion and edge of lace, drawn with silk ribbons. 47c instead of 68c.

**Drawers.** Seven new styles, of best cambric and muslin. Regular and extra sizes. Square, round and V-necks. Lace and embroidery trimmings. 47c instead of 68c.

**Chemises.** Nine new styles, of cambric and muslin. Regular and extra sizes. Square, round and V-necks. Lace and embroidery trimmings. 47c instead of 68c.

**Note.** Nearly 500 new styles among the 350 dozen garments that will invite your criticism on Monday. Same regular prices and same "opening" prices, as previously asked for less complete variety.

**25c garments for 17c**  
**39c garments for 27c**  
**68c garments for 47c**

**\$1.25 garments for 87c**  
**\$1.48 garments for \$1.07**  
**\$1.75 garments for \$1.27**  
**\$2.25 garments for \$1.47**  
**\$2.98 garments for \$1.97**

**Dress Goods.**

Another arrival of the bewitching French Organzies—and the price is to be only 25c a yard.

**44c** yard on Monday for the 50c Wool Suitings. All the new spring effects—forty-five different styles.

**90c** yard on Monday for the \$1.25 Suitings—the latest from Paris and London. Latest spring styles and note that they are 54 inches wide.

**1897 Silks.**

**69c** yard on Monday for the 80c Satin Brocade for evening wear. Latest European arrivals, looking worth \$1 yard.

**85c** yard on Monday for the \$1 Black Silks—the new broadest gros grain Silks and Satins. Second floor for these.

**Dress Findings.**

No trash—least prices for best are to make the Palais Royal 1897 headquarters for Linings, etc., as 'twas during 1896.

**19c** yard on Monday for the 25c Double-faced Satin Linings—but not more than sufficient for one dress to each visitor.

**10c** yard for the 12 1/2c Linings—the superior plain Satins and Fancy Linings in all the new colors.

**9c** instead of 12c for four-yard pieces of Extra 12c for 12 pieces Fancy Silk Whisker Casing. 3c for 5c Fancy Silk Whisker Casing. 1c for 3c Spools King's 200-yard Sewing Machine Cotton.

**10 Per cent discount.**

One-tenth the amount of your purchase in the Lace Department will be returned you on Monday—and a stock of new Laces to select from that is simply perfect.

**15c** to 80c yard for choice of fifty Match Sets of new Point Lierre and Net-top Laces, with heavy edge, 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 inches wide. The new shade of ecru.

**\$1.68** 22 and 18 inch wide. Thirty new styles; white and black grounds, with embroidered violets, rosebuds, etc. A few pieces in gold ground applied in flowers of gold.

**New Veils.**

The latest importations of Paris Novelties—a collection embracing no less than sixty-nine different effects.

**44c** on Monday for the 50c, 50c and 68c Veils. And only 80c for the \$1 beauties, that are bewitchingly attractive.

**Embroideries.**

First with the new patent Embroideries—open edges guaranteed to wear as long as the cloth.

**5c** a yard on Monday for the 25c Cambric Embroideries, 2 to 4 inches wide, with the warranted open edges.

**21c** a yard for the 25c Edges and Insertions, 3 to 6 inches wide. 30c yard for the 50c Irish Point Embroideries, 9 inches wide.

**Evening Wear.**

Silks, Ribbons, Hose to match in shade with correct Gloves, Jewelry, Fans and Flowers are our 1897 specialty.

**Jewelry.** Diamond-like Rhinestone Tiaras are to be \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$3.48. Instead of \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

**98c** on Monday for the \$1.48 Brooches and Watch Chains, representing frog or turtle, made of diamonds, opals, turquoise and emeralds.

**50c** for the 75c Jeweled Brooches, imitating diamonds and other precious stones. Designs that are fac-similes of Tiffany's latest.

**Hose.** Silk Hose in dress goods shades, and matching slippers. 40c to \$5 pair. \$1.33 on Monday for the \$1.40 quality.

**21c** for 35c quality "Onyx" Fast Black Lisle Thread Hose—but not more than two pairs to each purchaser.

**47c** for the Ribbed Silk Vests in evening shades. Silk lace front, back and arms. Only 25c for the Silk Corset Covers in all colors.

**Handkerchiefs.**—10 per cent discount on all Lace Handkerchiefs marked at various prices from \$2 to \$20.

**14c** for the 25c fine Lawn Handkerchiefs with delicately embroidered borders, charming bits of daintiness.

**Gloves.** Best White Suede Mousquetaires. Every pair guaranteed, fitted at our risk.

**\$1.85** instead of \$2.25 on Monday for the 12-inch button length, and \$2.25 instead of \$2.75 pair for the 16-button.

**Fans.**—10 per cent discount on Monday on all fans costing from \$2.25 to \$15.

**89c** for the \$1 and \$1.25 Fans, in Silk, Lace and Gauze; plain, painted and spangled. Empire and other styles.

**Waists.**—Clifton and Silk Waists for evening wear are here from \$10 to \$20. 25 per cent discount, one-quarter off price marked on one you select.

**\$15** for the \$22.50 Opera Cloaks. Barely marked on this floor.

**Neckwear.** Sample pieces are here worth from \$1.50 to \$3.50—secured to distribute in two lots at \$1 and \$1.98 for each. Even less prices on Monday.

**79c** for choice of the 98c lot and \$1.79 for any in the \$1.98. Yokes and collars of superior lace, ribbons and velvet to choose from.

**For home.**

The completed gathering of 1897 Table Linens and Housefurnishings represent an investment of nearly \$40,000. See below for Monday's souvenir prices of the "Opening."

**95c** yard for the \$1.25 Double Satin Table Damask, 72 inches wide. Note that both sides are alike.

**48c** yard for the 50c All-linen Bleached Irish Table Damask, 68 inches wide.

**9c** for the 12 1/2c Linen Huck Towels, hemmed. Note the size, 28x56 inches.

**98c** pair for the 12 1/2c Blankets—those full 11-4 size and weighing 4 1/2 pounds. The make usually sold at \$1.50.

**19c** for the 25c Stamped Goods, in second floor. Art Department—the Pillow Shams and 64-lb All-linen Sacs.

**\$1.75** pair for the \$2.50 Spangled Pillow Shams. These are more elaborately beautiful than you'll expect. Art Department.

**Basement.**

A surprise, indeed, on this basement floor—the kitchen utensils of enameled ironware at half the prices ever before asked. You all know the least prices you have paid for agate and granite ware. Are not these less than half?

Lipped Saucepans, with long handle.

2 1/2 quart size for.....	17c.
3 quart size for.....	21c.
4 quart size for.....	25c.
5 quart size for.....	29c.
6 quart size for.....	33c.
8 quart size for.....	37c.

Seamless Convex Saucepans, extra deep, with cover.

3 quart size.....	24c.
4 quart size.....	27c.
5 quart size.....	30c.
6 quart size.....	33c.
8 quart size.....	37c.

Dish Pans, extra deep.

14 quart size.....	20c.
16 quart size.....	22c.
18 quart size.....	24c.
20 quart size.....	26c.
22 quart size.....	28c.

Tea Kettles, flat bottom.

7 quart size.....	40c.
8 quart size.....	42c.
9 quart size.....	44c.
10 quart size.....	46c.
12 quart size.....	50c.

Roasting Pans, oblong and square.

9 1/2x14 inches for.....	25c.
10 1/2x14 inches for.....	28c.
12x12 inches for.....	30c.
12x12 inches for.....	32c.
14x14 inches for.....	34c.
14x14 inches for.....	36c.

Miscellaneous.

2-quart Pudding Pans for 14c.	Full size Wash Basins for 15c.
3-quart Pudding Pans for 16c.	Cooking Spoons for 5c.
3-quart Pudding Pans for 16c.	2-quart Covered Buckets for 25c.

**Special Notice.**

Every piece is guaranteed first quality, free from any defect. Money promptly refunded if not strictly as guaranteed.

**Continued.**

The list of Monday's souvenirs will be continued in tomorrow's Sunday Post and Times. Many departments not quoted in these columns will be represented.

**Fair Warning!**

These broken lots of furniture and the short lengths in carpets are moving at a lively rate. One floor will soon be cleared—ready for stock taking. When these odd lots are gone—this money-saving sale ends. Are you getting your share of these bargains?

Tarlor and Bed Room Suites—Soleboards—Hall Racks—Fancy Chairs—Rockers—Carpets—Rugs—

**Below Factory Cost and on Credit!**

We have enjoyed a season of great business—that's why we can sell these broken lots at a loss—and still look pleasant about it. We make and lay all carpet FREE—don't even charge for the two or three yards that are wasted in matching figures.

**CROGAN'S**  
MAMMOTH CREDIT HOUSE,  
817-819-821-823 Seventh street n.w.,  
Bet. H and I sts.

**\$2.60**

For Women's Shoes you have paid \$3 and \$3.50 for years—our famous "WEAR WEELS"—the best Shoes made for the money—Dress and Lace, Walking and Dress Boots, bright dog-eared, patent tip, doll dog-eared and box calf, tip of cane, hand-sewed.

**Edmonston,**  
1334 F St.

**Gerome Desio's Retiring Sale.**

**Silver Ware Below Actual Cost of Silver!**

We gain by your getting other jeweler's prices—you are then sure of buying here. Auction prices are generally conceded to be low. Our "Retiring Sale" prices are below the actual cost of the silver! Give some of the following for wedding gifts:

\$50 Berry Bowl, with sterling silver spoon. Very elegant case. "Retiring Sale" price..... **\$37.50**

\$7 Sterling Silver \$5 Berry Spoon..... **\$5**

\$5 Sterling Silver Sardine Tongs, peculiar new design. "Retiring Sale" price..... **\$3.50**

\$3 Cream Ladles, odd design. "Retiring Sale" price..... **\$2.25**

\$2.50 Sterling Silver Shoe Horn, handsome ornamental handle. "Retiring Sale" price..... **\$1.50**

50c Sterling Silver Mounted Umbrella Straps. "Retiring Sale" price..... **25c.**

**Gerome Desio**  
1107 F St. North Side.

**DOCTORS**

—who are prescribing Phosphatic Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, and those druggists who desire it absolutely fresh and emulsified by electricity, should let us supply them. Purest ingredients, and made and bottled while you wait.

See the electric machinery in our avenue window making it daily. "Special" prices, too!

**1/2 pt. 35c. 1 pt. 60c.**

**OGRAM'S,**  
13th & Pa. Ave. & 17th & H Sts.

**Geo. F. Muth and Co.,**  
418 7th St. N.W.  
Formerly Reynold's.

This is the place to purchase your Sketching Materials.

We have everything to delight the heart of an artist.

Sketching Materials, Stools, Easels, etc. A complete stock of Oils and Water Colors and Crayons second to none in the city.

**In Buying Fuel**

—there are two vital questions to be considered—first, its quality—second, the cost. Ours is a coal-burner—gives out a great deal of heat—lights quickly, and costs very little. Don't you think you should burn Coke?

40 bu. Coke (uncrushed) \$2.90.  
40 bu. Coke (crushed) \$3.70.

**Washington Gaslight Co.,**  
413 Tenth St. N.W.  
Or WM. J. ZIEB, 820 20th st. Phone 470.

**Records of the Census.**

The acting secretary of the treasury has transmitted to the Senate a letter from the Secretary of the Interior in reference to an appropriation of \$6,000 for a clerk of census to act as a census clerk, and rent, salaries, heat and light incident to the care and preservation of the records of the eleventh census and previous censuses.

**The Best Machines for Keeping Time**

that it is possible to make are American Waltham Watches.

Get either the "RIVERSIDE" or "ROYAL" movement.

FOR SALE BY ALL RETAIL JEWELERS.

No. 403 Foot Form Boot—always \$3.00. The boot for tender feet.

**Specials for Next Week.**

For the first time in our history we cut three lines of our women's shoes—as good shoes as any one else's \$3 ones. Our special at \$2.22. Next week

**\$1.95.**

—all that are left of the \$4 and \$5 shoes from last week's sale go for

**\$2.65.**

**"Langlois" Foot Form**

F St. Cor. 13th.

Send for Foot-Form Catalogue. Bring the children in the morning for shoes that don't crowd the toes.

**WE ARE CLOSING OUT THE FOLLOWING**

**FUR CAPES**

AND COLLARLETTES AT HALF PRICE.

\$20.00 Fur Capes, full sweep.....	\$10.00
\$30.00 Fur Capes, full sweep.....	\$15.00
\$40.00 Collarlettes, full ripple.....	\$20.00
\$50.00 Collarlettes, full ripple.....	\$25.00
\$60.00 Collarlettes, full ripple.....	\$30.00
\$70.00 Collarlettes, full ripple.....	\$35.00

MARTIN WOLF,  
523 11th st. n.w.

**A Simply Superb 38c Coffee!**

Cones as near being perfection as the proper blending and roasting of old Java, Java and plantain plantation-grown Arabian Mocha can attain. In strength about 50 per cent greater than ordinary kinds. In aroma and delicious taste, compares to others as credit does to skunk milk. Try a pound.

**N. H. DUVAL, 1923 Pa. ave.**

**Brandied Fruits, 98c. qt. jar.**

Cherries and Apples. Finest. Put up to close only 98c. jar.

**Jo-Kalon Wine Co.**  
614 14th St. Phone 998.

**25c & 50c. Jap & Chinese Flattings, 17c. yd.**

The Houghton Co., 1214 F St.

**CRUMP'S TONIC OF FRUIT AND SPICES CURES** dyspepsia, indigestion and all stomach troubles. Indorsed by Col. M. M. Parker, ex-Senator Mendenhall, J. H. Brown, J. W. Glaister, J. B. Hammond, Lyman B. Otter and many others. CRUMP MFG CO., 1020 7th st. n.w. Jan-20-97

**Stammering Cured** in children and adults by Rev. C. B. Brown, D.D. Indorsed by leading men and colleges. Circulars and information on application. 115-85

**Corns and Bunions** REMOVED WITHOUT PAIN. Established in Washington 35 years. PROF. J. G. SIEGERT & SON, Foot Specialists, 1115 Pa. ave. Jan-19-97

**Paper Napkins** 25c. PER 100. (deci-2m) GOULD, 421 9TH. ARE FREE FROM ALL CRUDE AND IRRITATING matter. Concentrated medicine only. Carry Little Liver Pills. Very small; very easy to take; no pain no griping no vomiting. Try them.

The genuine Angostura Bitters cure indigestion and restore the appetite. Every druggist keeps them. Dr. J. G. S. Siegert & Son, sole manufacturers.

**Officers Entertained.**

Col. Fred G. Calvert, commander of John F. Reynolds Post, No. 6, G. A. R., and his wife, Mrs. Fannie Calvert, junior vice president of Grant Circle, No. 1, Ladies of the G. A. R., gave an entertainment to the officers of the post and their families Thursday evening, 21st, at their beautiful new home, No. 3224 13th street northwest. Those present were Senior Vice Commander John F. Winans, Junior Vice Commander Elissa A. Jacobs, Adjt. F. L. McKenna, Surgeon H. M. Bennett, Chaplain W. H. Gotwald, Officer of the Day W. M. Thompson, Sergt. Maj. B. E. Smith, Quartermaster Sergt. Philip M. O'Brien and Past Commanders Thos. Galloway and M. M. Lewis. The ladies present were Mrs. Lewis, the venerable mother of Past Commander Lewis; Mrs. Galloway and daughter, Miss Mollie Galloway, Mrs. Dr. Bennett, Mrs. Dr. Gotwald, Mrs. O'Brien and daughters, Edith and Addie, Mrs. McKenna and daughters, Fannie and Cecilia, and Miss Mary Frederick. Mr. K. D. Gibson and Miss Fannie Calvert, the Misses O'Brien and the Misses McKenna contributed to the piano in the enjoyment of the evening. Miss Addie O'Brien being possessed of an exceptionally fine voice.

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**ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS**

**Mr. Hill Gives Himself Up and the Charge Dismissed.**

**Local Notes of General Interest to All Parties Concerned—Told in Brief Paragraphs.**

Mr. Frank M. Hill, an alleged proprietor of the shop known as the "Swamp," appeared at the station house this morning, accompanied by his attorneys, Messrs. Samuel G. Brent and John H. Green, and gave himself up. He stated that he had heard that a warrant for his arrest was in the hands of the police, and that he desired a hearing. No witnesses were examined. Mr. Hill's attorneys put in a plea of not guilty and a verdict dismissing the case was delivered by the court. Sergeant Smith, who has been handling these police cases, issued a Star reporter this morning that although the warrant against Mr. Hill was sworn out several days ago, it was never served, for the reason that he had as yet not obtained sufficient evidence to convict Hill, and that he had with him several witnesses testifying that but their evidence was not sufficient to convict.

George Pettit made application to the authorities for the printing press case, which was captured at the place alleged to be Hill's when the raids were made January 14.

**Case Continued.**

George, alias "Shorty," Stearns and Ernest Wilson, two well-known characters about town, were before Mayor Thompson this morning upon the charge of breaking up, as reported in yesterday's Star, and for seizing a lot of meat and a box of fine stationary from a car in the yards of the Southern depot, in this city. Mr. Robert W. French, whose house was broken into several times, and several witnesses were examined, but owing to the absence of material witnesses the case was continued until 7 o'clock tonight.

**Police Court.**

Mayor Thompson this morning disposed of several following cases in police court: James Harris, colored, charged with refusing to work on the chain gang, put on a bread and water diet until he changes his mind. Samuel Markell, charged with being drunk in the street, fined \$1. Daniel Corbin, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly, fined \$5 or twenty days on the chain gang. William Douglas, charged with being drunk and disorderly, fined \$5 or twenty days on the chain gang. John Simms, colored, charged with conducting a business without a license, dismissed upon promising to obtain same.

**Preparing for Wedding.**

Mr. Albert C. Murdaugh, of the firm of Ellerson & Wemple, real estate brokers of Washington, has sold to Mr. W. B. Corse of this city the handsome residence of Dr. H. P. Howard, 419 North Washington street. Mr. Corse is to wed Miss Nancy Montague of St. Louis on the 27th instant, and after a bridal tour to southern Europe will make this city his home.

**Without a License.**

Dr. Parker, a Washington physician, was arrested in this city yesterday upon the charge of doing business without a license. He was engaged in examining applicants for a life insurance company. He was released, as he protested his ignorance of the corporation law upon the subject.

**General and Personal Notes.**

Miss Mabel Taylor left yesterday afternoon for Kiskadee, Va., to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mr. Gregory Purvis of that place.

The sale of lots at Arlington Heights, in Alexandria county, which was advertised to take place at the old county court house on Friday last, was postponed indefinitely for want of bidders.

The funeral of the late Fields Cook, whose death was mentioned in yesterday's Star, will take place tomorrow afternoon from Ebenezer Baptist church.

The musical given by Mrs. Olive Mason last night at her home on South Washington street was much enjoyed by the present. During the evening a program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered, after which refreshments were served.

The Florence Crittenton mission meeting will be held at the Alfred Street Baptist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Mrs. Kate Barrett, national superintendent of the Florence Crittenton Mission, and the secretary, Mr. Morton.

**The Death of Miss Emily V. Billing.**

Among the older teachers of this city few were better known than Miss Emily V. Billing, who died recently at her home, 917 S. street. In length of service she was probably surpassed only by Mr. Strong John Thompson.

Miss Billing was born in Washington and educated in the private schools of the District. Her appointment as teacher in a public school is dated March, 1850, and from that time, or until October, 1889, when her declining health forced her to resign, she ranked as one of the leading teachers of the city. She was the second division. During the early sessions both boys and girls were under her care, but for the last years only girls were among her pupils. Many men and women, among her recall the days when Miss Billing taught at 10th and E streets; at the 21st Street Baptist church, at the old building on Judiciary Square, west of the present pension office; then on 5th street between the headquarters of the police and the residence of the late Mr. E. C. Church, and in 1875 her pupils celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of her appointment, and the respect and affection in which she was held were shown not only by gifts of silver from officials, fellow teachers and pupils, but in the graceful and loving words spoken on that occasion.

"Miss Emily," as she was called, carried into her work the enthusiasm of a bright and cheerful nature, together with an unusual degree of intelligence and painstaking. Her pupils can remember no harshness, although their work was done thoroughly so thoroughly that under her teaching and that of Miss Lane, to whose grade Miss Billing's classes passed, the second district girls long stood in advance of all others.

During the last year of her life Miss Billing's health was feeble, but she was of rare patience and cheerfulness; even when sight almost failed. Her Christian life was longer even than her term of teaching; for fifty-two years her name appeared on the rolls of the Methodist Protestant Church, and at the funeral service her former pastors, Rev. W. S. Hammond and Rev. David Wilson, united with the present pastor, Rev. S. J. Smith, in paying tribute to her memory.

**Real Estate at Auction.**

The following pieces of real estate have been sold at auction by Ratcliffe, Sutton & Co., auctioneers: Lots 30, 40 and one foot front of lot 41, square 1011. Sold to Jas. A. Cahill for \$200. Sublot No. 31, square 125, improved by two-story brick dwelling, 2512 12th st. northwest, sold to K. A. Dunn for \$3,275. Part of lot 9, square 419, improved by brick store and dwelling, No. 1736 7th street northwest, sold to Ignatius Miller for \$4,100.

**Installation of Officers.**

The regular assemblage of the members of the State, W. and Navy Council, No. 20, National Union, was held at St. Rite Cathedral, and after routine business and the reading of exceptionally interesting and encouraging reports, the following officers, who had been duly elected, were inducted by appropriate ceremonies: President, R. Ringway; vice president, O. H. Coumbe; ex-president, Albert Grimes; speaker, P. M. Kennedy; secretary, J. D. Grimes; financial secretary, W. H. Lewis; treasurer, W. H. Doe; chaplain, D. C. Morrison; usher, D. M. Foster; sergeant-at-arms, D. M. Hildrich; trustees, H. W. Thompson, W. T. Brown, W. H. Lewis, D. C. Morrison; delegate to National Union, D. C. Morrison; delegate to National Association of P. B. S., Albert Grimes.

**GOLDENBERG'S**  
"STORE NEWS."  
January twenty-third.

The news grows more intense as the month wears itself away and the nearer we approach the beginning of stock-taking.

You have said that the values offered during the past three weeks have been extraordinary.

And it is a fact.

We have undersold every other store in town. We have forgotten all about profits—all about the costs, too, oftentimes—in the marking. They have been "extraordinary."

What will you say to the values we have set aside for Monday?

If you thought those "extraordinary" you will regard these with even more wonderment.

We are determined to do just so many thousand dollars' business before stock-taking is over, though we shall do it without gain.

That's why we've made such "extraordinary" reductions.

**Black dress goods.**

You may take these black figured mohairs—the handsome large patterns—at

**11 1/2c. yard.**

You may have any of this lot of black goods, consisting of black serges, figured mohairs, figured serge suitings, plain mohair brilliantine, plain henrietta, &c., which have been 39c., 45c. and 50c. a yard, for

**35 cents.**

25 pieces of all-wool serges, jacquards, figured mohairs and silk and wool mixtures—which sold at 31c., 35c., 39c. and 43c. a yard—have been bunched in one lot and marked

**25 cents.**

15 pieces of black dress goods, consisting of light and heavy weight crepons, fine twill and storm serges, diagonals, sicilians, brilliantines, figured jacquards and henrietta, which sold at from 59c. to 75c. a yard, will be offered at

**48 cents.**

**Linings.**

All colors best dressmakers' cambric reduced to 2 1/2c. yard.

Plain black and gray leno—7 1/2c. yard everywhere—reduced to 3 1/2c.

Imitation herringbone haircloth—10c. sort—reduced to 7 1/2c. yard.

Black, gray and natural genuine fiber chambray—usual price, 35c.—here for 15c. yard.

Yard-wide rustle percale—black, brown and gray—reduced from 12 1/2c. to 6 1/2c. yard.

Black all-linen canvas reduced from 12 1/2c. to 9c. yard.

Extra heavy all-linen black, gray and white canvas—reduced from 20c. to 14c.

Fancy figured black back waistlining—warranted fast color—our 20c. quality for 12 1/2c.

18-in. imported black and gray haircloth—reduced from 39c. to 25c. yd.

Brown and gray all-wool moireen—reduced from 39c. to 25c. yd.

**Domestics.**

Best Amoskeag apron, gingham—reduced to 4 1/2c. yard.

Yard wide "Fruit-of-the-Loom" Muslin—reduced to 5 1/2c. yard.

45 by 36 inch "Mohawk" hemmed pillow cases—reduced from 12 1/2c. to 8 1/2c.

9-quarter "Mohawk" bleached sheeting—reduced to 14c. yard.

2,500 63 by 90-inch ready-made sheets—made of "Mohawk" cotton—2-inch hem—for 29c. each.

81 by 90-inch hemstitched sheets—made of "Cohasset" cotton—never before sold under 60c.—for 48c. each.

**Notions.**

Roll of 36 yds. tape, 9c.

Smith's best needles, 3c. paper.

All size nickel curling irons, 2c.

Best French darning cotton, 2c. bale.

36-inch genuine whalebone—the 17c. sort for 11c.

500-yd. spool hasting cotton, 3c.

4-yd. piece 2-inch velvet banding, 9c.

**GOLDENBERG'S,**  
926-928 7th—706 K Sts.

**DELANEY,**  
Ladies' Tailor and Dressmaker,  
1719 De Sales St.  
and 4 rue de Trevise, Paris.

That sale of \$400 Tailor-made Gowns last week was the instance of the clearing-out ways falling-down blower. Avoid hard thought. Washington ladies that I have not only been able to keep my stock of all kinds of work—lady, but was compelled to send to New York for extra men, in consequence of which I will continue this sale for one more week. Your choice of any goods in stock all which are imported, made up in my justness style, \$24.00. I take all the responsibility. If not satisfactory in my detail, the dress is mine.

de-23-1, th. 28.

**Hang that blower**

Every one who has an open grate fire in their room knows the nuisance of the chattering-always falling-down blower. Avoid hard thought. Washington ladies that I have not only been able to keep my stock of all kinds of work—lady, but was compelled to send to New York for extra men, in consequence of which I will continue this sale for one more week. Your choice of any goods in stock all which are imported, made up in my justness style, \$24.00. I take all the responsibility. If not satisfactory in my detail, the dress is mine.

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**J. H. Corning, The Shop, 520-22 13th**

**DYSPEPSIA POSITIVELY CURED—GROWER GRABHAM'S REMEDY.** For a